

Fact Sheet

305TH AIR MOBILITY WING (AMC)

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621st Air Mobility Operations Group

The 621st Air Mobility Operations Group is one of only two specialized groups in the Air Force responsible for training and deploying Air Mobility Command mission support forces. The 621st AMOG reports directly to 21st Expeditionary Mobility Task Force at McGuire Air Force Base, N.J. The AMOG provides the organization and management for deployable Air Mobility Command forces which provide a worldwide Global Mobility Operations in support of U.S. Transportation Command assigned missions. They also provide a liaison for the Air Reserve Component forces.

The AMOG's ability to deploy rapidly in all situations makes the unit an essential part of the AMC mission. The unit maintains a ready core of AMC mobility support forces ready to execute a full spectrum of Global Mobility operations, as directed by the Tanker Airlift Control Center at Scott AFB, III.

There are about 546 people assigned to the AMOG at McGuire and about 133 assigned at Charleston AFB, SC. The AMOG has an annual budget of \$7.5 million.

The 621st AMOG is comprised of five squadrons, one of which is located at Charleston -the 1st Combat Camera Squadron. The other four, located at McGuire, include the 621st Air
Mobility Operations Squadron, the 621st Air Mobility Squadron, the 721st Air Mobility Squadron
and the 821st Air Mobility Squadron.

The 1st CTCS provides combat camera documentation of contingency operations, exercises, test programs and historical interest events, and provides editing, cataloging, duplication and transmission of imagery. The 621st AMOS provides cadre personnel who deploy an Air Mobility Element worldwide as an extension of the TACC. They monitor, coordinate and interface AMC strategic operations within a defined area of responsibility. The Air Mobility Squadrons provide the core cadre of command and control, aerial port and aircraft maintenance personnel to deploy worldwide as AMC's Tanker Airlift Control Elements. These personnel establish or augment command, control and mission support for strategic and theater air mobility forces supporting Global Reach.

Today, more than ever, the Air Force is supporting airlift operations all over the globe. Operations such as ENDURING FREEDOM and now IRAQI FREEDOM are a tribute to the readiness of the 621st AMOG to provide mission support whenever and wherever the requirement exists.

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